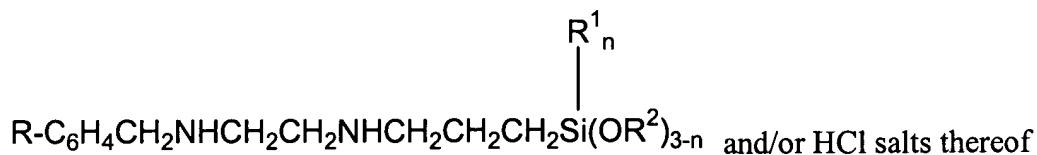


AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS .

1. (Currently amended) An aryl aminofunctional silane compound having the formula:

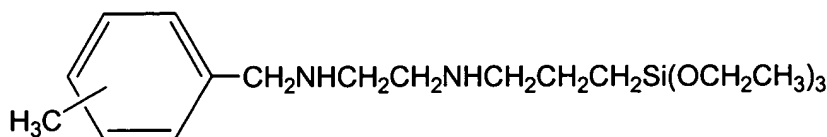


wherein R is an alkyl group having ± 2 to 6 carbon atoms; R¹ is an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms; R² may be the same or different and are independently selected from alkyl groups having 1 to 6 carbon atoms; and n has a value of 0 or 1.

2. (Cancelled)

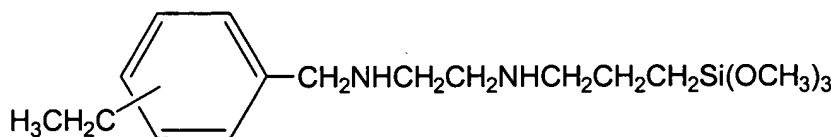
3. (Cancelled)

4. (Original) An aryl aminofunctional silane compound according to claim 1 wherein R=CH₃ and R²=C₂H₅, and n=0



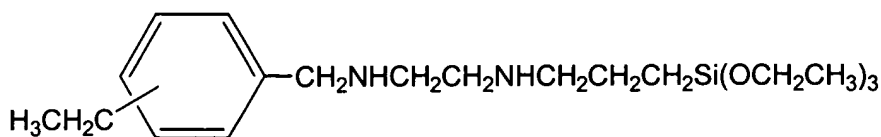
and the HCl salt thereof, wherein methyl group is *ortho*-, *meta*-, or *para*-substituted or mixtures thereof.

5. (Currently amended) An aryl aminofunctional silane compound according to claim 1 wherein R=C₂H₅, R²=CH₃, and n=0



and the HCl salt thereof, wherein ~~methyl~~ ethyl group is *ortho*-, *meta*-, or *para*-substituted or mixtures thereof.

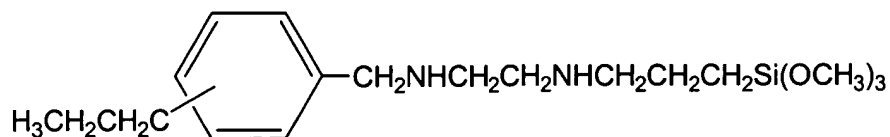
6. (Currently amended) An aryl aminofunctional silane compound according to claim 1 wherein R=C₂H₅, R²=C₂H₅, and n=0



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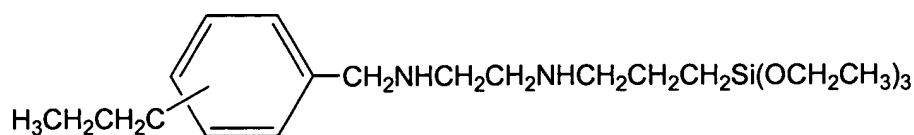
and the HCl salt thereof, wherein ~~methyl~~ ethyl group is *ortho*-, *meta*-, or *para*-substituted or mixtures thereof.

7. (Currently amended) An aryl aminofunctional silane compound according to claim 1 wherein $R=C_3H_7$, $R^2=CH_3$, and $n=0$



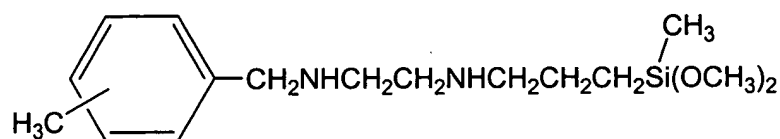
and the HCl salt thereof, wherein ~~methyl~~ propyl group is *ortho*-, *meta*-, or *para*-substituted or mixtures thereof.

8. (Currently amended) An aryl aminofunctional silane compound according to claim 1 wherein $R=C_3H_7$, $R^2=C_2H_5$, and $n=0$



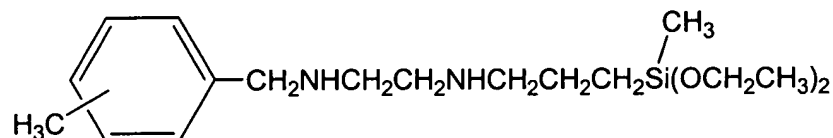
and the HCl salt thereof, wherein ~~methyl~~ propyl group is *ortho*-, *meta*-, or *para*-substituted or mixtures thereof.

9. (Currently amended) An aryl aminofunctional silane compound according to ~~claim 1~~ claim 19 wherein $R=CH_3$, $R^1=CH_3$, $R^2=CH_3$, and $n=1$



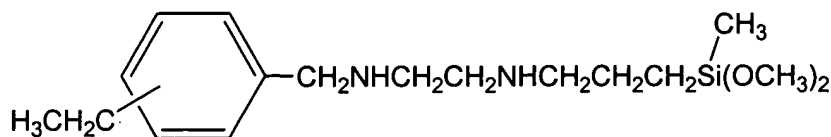
and the HCl salt thereof, wherein methyl group is *ortho*-, *meta*-, or *para*-substituted or mixtures thereof.

10. (Currently amended) An aryl aminofunctional silane compound according to ~~claim 1~~ claim 19 wherein $R=CH_3$, $R^1=CH_3$, $R^2=C_2H_5$, and $n=1$



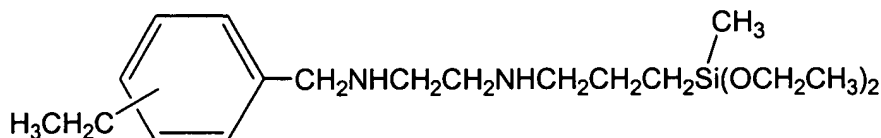
and the HCl salt thereof, wherein methyl group is *ortho*-, *meta*-, or *para*-substituted or mixtures thereof.

11. (Currently amended) An aryl aminofunctional silane compound according to ~~claim 1~~ claim 19 wherein $R=C_2H_5$, $R^1=CH_3$, $R^2=CH_3$, and $n=1$



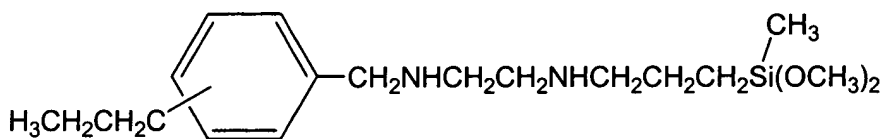
and the HCl salt thereof, wherein ~~methyl~~ ethyl group is *ortho*-, *meta*-, or *para*-substituted or mixtures thereof.

12. (Currently amended) An aryl aminofunctional silane compound according to ~~claim 1~~ claim 19 wherein $R=C_2H_5$, $R^1=CH_3$, $R^2=C_2H_5$, and $n=1$



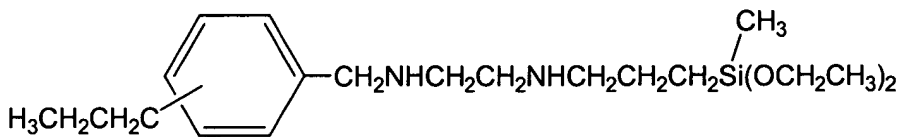
and the HCl salt thereof, wherein ~~methyl~~ ethyl group is *ortho*-, *meta*-, or *para*-substituted or mixtures thereof.

13. (Currently amended) An aryl aminofunctional silane compound according to ~~claim 1~~ claim 19 wherein $R=C_3H_7$, $R^1=CH_3$, $R^2=CH_3$, and $n=1$



and the HCl salt thereof, wherein ~~methyl~~ propyl group is *ortho*-, *meta*-, or *para*-substituted or mixtures thereof.

14. (Currently amended) An aryl aminofunctional silane compound according to ~~claim 1~~ claim 19 wherein $R=C_3H_7$, $R^1=CH_3$, $R^2=C_2H_5$, and $n=1$



and the HCl salt thereof, wherein ~~methyl~~ propyl group is *ortho*-, *meta*-, or *para*-substituted or mixtures thereof.

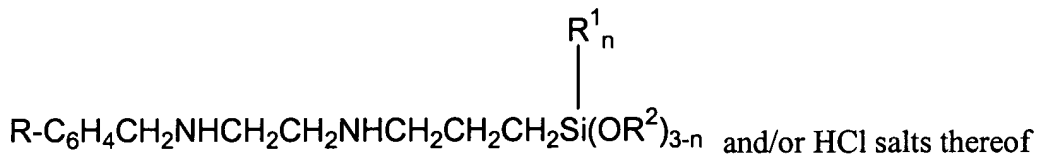
15. (Original) A water-resistant substrate, comprising a glass fabric coated with at least one compound according to Claim 1.

16. (Original) A water-resistant substrate according to Claim 15, wherein the coating amount of the compound is about 0.05 to 0.2% by weight based on the weight of glass fabric.

17. (Original) A water-resistant substrate according to Claim 15, wherein the coating amount of the compound is about 0.065 to 0.15% by weight based on the weight of glass fabric.

18. (Original) A method of preparing a substrate, comprising:
applying at least one compound according to Claim 1 to a glass fabric to form a coated glass fabric; and
applying the coated fabric to an epoxy laminate thereby reinforcing the laminate.

19. (New) An aryl aminofunctional silane compound having the formula:



wherein R is an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms; R¹ is an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms; R² may be the same or different and are independently selected from alkyl groups having 1 to 6 carbon atoms; and n has a value of 1.

20. (New) A water-resistant substrate, comprising a glass fabric coated with at least one compound according to Claim 19.

21. (New) A water-resistant substrate according to Claim 20, wherein the coating amount of the compound is about 0.05 to 0.2% by weight based on the weight of glass fabric.

22. (New) A water-resistant substrate according to Claim 20, wherein the coating amount of the compound is about 0.065 to 0.15% by weight based on the weight of glass fabric.

23. (New) A method of preparing a substrate, comprising:
applying at least one compound according to Claim 19 to a glass fabric to form a coated glass fabric; and
applying the coated fabric to an epoxy laminate thereby reinforcing the laminate.